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Our Case No. 659-1756  
K-C Ref. No. 16722

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
Vitaly A. Topolkaraev et al. )  
Serial No. 09/840,755 ) Examiner: Peter Y. Choi  
Filing Date: April 23, 2001 ) Group Art Unit No. 1794  
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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In reply to the Notice of a Non-Compliant Response to Office Action dated August 12, 2008, Applicant has filed this Amendment and Response. A petition for a 1-month extension of time is being submitted herewith. Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to withdraw the rejections to this application and to grant allowance of this Application in view of the following remarks.